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## WASHINGTONVILLE

Bright, Breezy Paragraphs Telling The Happenings in the Village on Mahoning's Southern Border.

By Peter M. Herold

The festive roasting ear is finding its way to the market, and is now on the Erie section north of town.

Mrs. J. E. Lewis spent last Sunday at the home of her daughter Bessie in Sebring.

Wheat harvest is past and David Calvin will be in town Friday with a supply of fresh butter.

Sunday was the opening day of the Leetonia Chautauqua and this village was well represented.

Delmont Stouffer and wife to Ralph Fieldhouse and Isaac Fieldhouse, land in Salem township, \$500.

C. E. Bertram and wife spent last week at Niagara Falls and other eastern points of interest.

The Farmer family will hold its ninth annual reunion on the Lisbon fair grounds Saturday, August 8.

If you want to buy or sell any old thing, try the Harp of Various Things column in The Mahoning Dispatch.

Miss Ruth Cook of Greenford spent Sunday here with her sisters, Mrs. Chas. Harron and Mrs. Walter Smith.

Aaron Brubaker is again able to drive to town, after a long confinement to the house from injuries by a fall.

James Paisley, in the employ of the Republic Rubber Co. at Youngstown, spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

We are in the midst of dog days, and are having hydrophobia weather. Dogs should be muzzled, and stand no risks of being bitten.

Carnegie Peace Palace at the Hague is intended for "piping times of peace," but not so when all Europe goes to the war path.

Zachary Wathey, ex-commissioner of Carroll county, celebrated his 92nd anniversary at his home in Augusta township last Saturday.

He still resides where he was born.

Sparks from an Erie engine set fire to the grass in Jos. Cox's peach orchard last Thursday, and before the flames were extinguished many of the young trees were badly scorched.

Prof. E. S. Freed of Girard, writing from New York says "Columbia is a great school. Over 5,625 here this summer. Tomorrow our science class goes to Orange, N. J., to the home and laboratories of Thomas A. Edison."

Clifford Paisley, of the Republic Rubber Co., Atlanta, Ga., has favored me with a picture of Stone Mountain, Ga., a solid block of granite 1000 feet high, upon which will be erected a huge temple to commemorate the "lost cause," by the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Your Locust Grove correspondent was up to date last Thursday when noting the burning of Francis Hendricks' residence the same forenoon.

A house was burned upon the same foundation just 15 years previous, and another will be erected as soon as Francis gets his breath.

David Klingensmith has been invited to take the place of the late Methodist Sunday school to the Green township S. S. Union at Locust Grove church next Sunday afternoon. This being the only Methodist church in Green township, the infant class will be more or less of a curiosity.

A joint committee meeting of the two Sunday schools was held in the Lutheran church Sunday forenoon and it was agreed to hold a union Sunday school picnic in Shelton's Grove on Saturday, August 15th, if the grounds can be had on that date. So far as known, they will go in hay-wagons.

Rev. S. E. Greenwald and wife of Springfield, where the former is pastor of the 4th Lutheran church, were here a few days last week visiting at the home of his cousin, W. E. Roller and paid their respects at the home of his uncle, Abraham Zimmerman. Rev. and Mrs. Greenwald are now at Chautauqua, N. J.

Prof. W. H. Hiscok, who formerly superintended the Washingtonville schools, has been elected county superintendent of schools in Lorain county. He was born and reared in Lisbon; graduated at Baldwin University; now holds a life certificate and gets \$2,000 the first year and \$3,000 the second. All county superintendents get \$300 for extras.

Lambert Carrier fell off an 8-foot step-ladder last week Wednesday when picking cherries and sustained a badly sprained and swollen ankle, from the effects of which he is not able to work in his barber shop. In February last year he fell upon an icy sidewalk in Salem and sprained his back from which he had not fully recovered when he fell again last week.

Stark county pays \$2,000 to its county superintendent of schools, Mahoning \$1,800, and Columbiana \$2,000, each giving \$300 for expenses. The small salary in Mahoning was a surprise to many. Columbiana county will have three normal schools under the new law. Rogers, Salineville, Columbiana and Leetonia are in line for them, with perhaps one town aspiring. Minerva, just over the border, will have such a school.

The town's people owning property along the creek east of town have had their troubles for many years from water backing upon their lands and lands, and the fact that the Cherry Valley company originally owned all the land and retained a water right (or easement), the present owners have been helpless when it came to a lawsuit, unless it can be abated upon health grounds. Now there is likely an action to be brought for damages by a party whose land lies across the creek and never was owned by the C. V. people, which land until recently was plowed and farmed like the other 190 acres in the farm. It appears that about ten acres have been swamped and rendered useless by backwater from the dam below. At \$50 an acre it would be cheaper for the company to buy the ten acres, or the entire farm for that matter, than to be mulched in heavy damages, or to remove the dam.

There is no word of the Deimore mine resuming work.

Mrs. Thomas McIntosh is recovering from a serious illness. Steve Delvac has torn down an old barn at the rear of his lot near the mill.

Howard Russell has quit the mine at West Pittsburgh and is now engineer at the Millville mines.

Miss Lena Barrow is spending her school vacation at the home of Harry Gager and wife in Salem.

John D. Williams and wife went to Niles and Youngstown Monday to spend the week with relatives and friends.

Dr. J. M. Van Horn of Warren, pastor of the Greenford Disciple church, passed through here Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Stevenson of New Castle, Pa., spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Charles DeJame and wife.

Arnold Schoep and Anthony Fast are working in the Reese Bros. mine, which furnishes coal for the Salem Water Works.

Word reached here last week that James Schettine was injured in a railroad accident at Cleveland, but no details were given.

Miss Mildred Herron of Calla spent a few days here at the home of her brother, Charles Herron, and her aunt, Mrs. Frank Paisley.

Clyde Hadley of Lisbon drove his motorcycle here Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. Schurenberger and wife north of town.

Drs. Hulin and Heck visited a patient at Canfield Monday, and when returning here called to see Mrs. Susan Gilbert and Mrs. George Watson.

County Superintendent of Schools John Moore will move from Youngstown to Lisbon. His official term of office begins Saturday.

Cleveland people are rejoicing over the prospects of the biggest peach crop in the history of Ohio now ripening in the lake and island sections.

C. E. Holt is selling ladies' fifteen and twenty-five cent vests three for twenty-five cents. Call at once while the assortment of sizes is complete.

William Dalrymple says he has no money for campaign purposes, yet he is covering the ground in a gum-shoe and will likely land the nomination for sheriff.

Lightning struck the New Waterford M. E. church during the severe electrical storm Friday evening, setting the steeple on fire, knocking off some slate, and plastering within the edifice.

This village is officially "dry" after 10 o'clock every night, and yet there are people living here who say that there is entirely too much noise upon the streets about midnight, with no officer in sight or hearing to "cheese the racket."

The political situation in Columbiana county is exceptionally quiet, considering that the nomination is just two weeks away. Dalrymple and Raley are hustling for sheriff, but the nominee will have Sam Crawford to contend with in November. The other county candidates, including Auditor Crooks, are out for the second term. The Democratic ticket will be nominated without opposition.

Over in Stark county there has been a question raised as to whether or not more than \$2,000 a year can be paid for a county superintendent of schools. Attorney General Hogan holds that \$2,000 is the limit. The law does not say so, but fixes the limit at that rate, which is half the salary up to \$2,000. There is nothing, it is claimed, to prevent a county paying more in order to get the right man.

At last the Y. & O. R. R. is to be extended to Youngstown, its original terminal, by way of New Albany and Canfield. This may mean that Peter McCave's gasoline road, The Erie might do well to get Gan's motors and have hourly service from Niles to Lisbon, and land its passengers in the heart of Lisbon instead of out in the country, where they have to be "transferred" into town at an additional cost of 10 cents.

The Martins Ferry News ventures a mathematical guess upon the vote in the five counties composing this congressional district. It says that there were 17,691 votes in the district for President Taft in 1912: Belmont 5,401; Carroll 1,096; Columbiana 4,801; Harrison 1,950; Jefferson 4,771. It figures that in Columbiana county Firestone will get 2,000 votes, Tellow 2,000, Hollingsworth 300 and scattering 301. However, it don't count Tellow and Firestone in the race in the other counties. But of this we will hear more on the morning of August 12.

The stump of a crab apple tree that measured about eleven inches in diameter and had more than a yard in spread of roots, was dug up in Elden Holt's lot Monday evening and was so well covered with phosphorous that it gave out a soft mellow light that could be seen more than sixty feet away. This is commonly called "fox fire" or Will o' the Wisp. Before Sir Humphrey Davy invented the safety lamp, phosphorous was painted upon shingles and cap-pieces and placed in the rooms of coal mines to give light where gas was too plentiful to work with an open lamp.

East Palestine has been a "dry" town for twenty years; has a very large church attendance, and is being pushed rapidly forward in a business way; yet the Echo published there bewails that town's low standard of morals, its frequent drunken brawls and disorderly conduct. Of course this is only one man's opinion, but it don't argue that a "dry" town is necessarily a law abiding town. This argument has been greatly overworked everywhere without the least gain of profit. Washingtonville is "wet" and always has been; it has a very slim attendance at church, and has no business pursuits to boast over; yet its morals are up to the standard, is law abiding and is easily governed. So that it begins to look as though a well-regulated saloon taxed at \$1,000 per year is less objectionable than "blind tigers" on the free list. It is even said of Leetonia that her morals and financial standing have not suffered by returning to the wet column. However, temperance is a virtue, while prohibition is a failure.

John Cole was in Greenford today. Mrs. Ed. Herrman and child went to Canfield this morning.

The live wires of the Dynamite club will give a dance in town hall Saturday night.

All ladies' and children's summer underwear at reduced prices at C. E. Holt's—Advt.

We had a few good showers last week, yet there is complaint that we didn't get enough.

Joseph King has returned home from the Salem hospital, having undergone an operation for fistula.

The war cloud in Europe over the Balkans troubles has made our own troubles in Mexico look like 20 cents.

R. B. Maxwell, Herman Coy and others along the rural route are harvesting early oats. Late oats are green yet.

The right of way of the Erie Railroad through town has had the briars, bushes and "noxious weeds" mown the past week.

Columbiana county's annual teachers' institute will be held in Lisbon Aug. 10-14. An instructive program has been prepared.

A strong and sickening stench rises from the sewer at Fisher's corner that would be well to disinfest before it reaches the limit.

Street commissioner Wilkinson has spread a few wagon loads from the Cherry Valley sulphur pile upon the Gov. Cox Main Market Route this week.

The new and arbitrary ruling of the railroad commission is that goods in stations will be charged storage after 48 hours. This is merely a ruling, but not a law.

It was cold enough a few nights this week that persons with good gardens talked of covering their tender plants for fear of a biting frost, which did not happen.

We have had no baseball games here this year, and no prospects of a football game, although the football is being kicked a little on the streets of the past few evenings.

Many of the dwelling houses in this village have been beautified with paint during the past few months, and it would take about a train load of paint to finish painting the town.

Since the mines near town have shut down, there is less annoyance to paint from the sulphur fumes.

John Brady, George Vaughn and son Damon are working in the West Point mines. This is said to be the best equipped mine in this part of Ohio, but there are certain drawbacks; boarding houses are scarce; no houses to rent, and not enough places open in the mine to accommodate all the miners who apply for jobs. The car fare from here is 70 cents for the round trip.

Regarding the sanitary condition of the creek which backs into the southern part of this village, the State Board of Health, after returning from here to Columbus, has written our health officer, Wm. Holt, that "I beg to inform you that no definite recommendations have been made at this time, but that later a published report of the survey will be submitted." Here it will likely drop until another further action.

Deputy County Auditor W. R. Phillips has finished the liquor settlement of Columbiana county for the half year ending July 1, 1914, showing the total taxes collected for the six months to be \$30,003. This amount is the sum of \$19,757; East Liverpool \$10,743.32; New Waterford \$4,606.34; Wellsville has returned \$1,822.64 to the county treasury because saloons were voted out of that city, and Hanoverstown must return \$11.26.

## LOCUST GROVE

July 29—Henry Calvin and wife spent Sunday at S. G. McClun's of Lisbon.

G. O. Calvin and family spent Sunday at E. I. Roller's.

Mrs. Clara Calvin and son Lester were in Salem Tuesday.

J. D. Feicht and daughter Maude were in Leetonia Tuesday.

Herman Coy and wife were Sunday visitors at Locust Grove.

Mr. Campbell and family of Youngstown spent Sunday here at Grant Calvin's.

Pearl Bishop spent Monday with her sister, Mabel Coy.

Mrs. Irene Calvin and Miss Nettie Feicht spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lotta Musselwhite of Greenford.

Anthony Gels and family spent Wednesday at Raymond Lamb's.

The 152nd session of the Green Township S. S. Union will be held in the Baptist church, Locust Grove, Sunday, August 2. Following is the program: Afternoon session, 2 o'clock, sun time. Devotional exercises, Frank Rogers; address, Convention Conservation, Aaron Esterly; music; recitation, A. L. Taylor; music; business meeting; election of officers; collection; benediction. Evening session, 7:30, sun time. Song service and devotional exercises, E. I. Roller; address, The Winesomeness of Jesus, Rev. H. B. Hazen; song, children of the Locust Grove Sunday school; address, The S. S. and Educational Problem, A. O. Fleming; collection; benediction.

## CLARKSVILLE

July 29—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Huxley were in Greenford the other day. Warren Rotzel on Friday threshed his wheat in Charles Schaeffer's field. Mr. and Mrs. Scott McNeese were in Salem Friday.

Quite a number from here attended Mrs. Neungesser's sale in Greenford Saturday.

Mrs. Aaron Coy and sons Harold and Alvie and H. L. Rotzel and son Warren attended the grange picnic in Canfield Saturday.

Geo. Orr of Millville was here Monday.

Mrs. H. L. Rotzel spent Saturday in Greenford with her son Homer.

Joseph Yeager and son are hauling lime from Greenford.

Mr. L. Tess, wife and two sons of Locust Grove spent Monday evening at Raymond Lamb's.

The fleet of motor boats on the waters of this country numbers 200,000.

## MILLVILLE

July 29—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roller attended the Calladine family reunion at Pleasant Grove Sunday. This was a delightful occasion, 40 relatives being in attendance. Officers for the coming year are: President, Jas. H. Calladine, Niles; secretary-treasurer, Miss Bessie Calladine, Salem.

Invitations are out for the Moore family reunion to be held at Centennial park, Salem, Aug. 15.

James White Sulist, one of the best known residents of this locality, died last Saturday night of uraemic poisoning and dropsy. Deceased was born in Ireland in 1833 and came to America in 1850, settling in Summit county. He came here in 1873 where he had since followed farming. He was a faithful member of the Unitarian church. His wife passed away 10 years ago. Surviving him are one brother, Eugene, and two sisters, Mrs. Lucy Solberg, who made her home with him, and Miss Lydia Sulist of Tremont, Ireland. Funeral services Monday afternoon were conducted by Rev. M. G. Grable of Salem. Burial in Hope cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Oech of near Damascus spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zimmerman. Frank Glass of Salem was a caller here near Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNutt of East Palestine were in the village Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dunn of Salem spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shepard were Teenagers visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allison were in Salem Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nicholson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett of Salem.

Mrs. Susan Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. George Crutchfield and son Lester were Sunday guests of Robert Dunn and family near Salem.

Several from this vicinity are attending the Chautauqua in Salem.

Miss Margaret Lee of New Castle was the guest of friends here Sunday.

W. J. Watkins of Salem was in the village Sunday.

Edward Lloyd of Manua called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fawcett of the Ellsworth road were callers here Friday.

J. E. Morgett and Harry Holland were in North Lima Monday.

W. D. Roller of Greenford was a caller here Tuesday.

Ed. Weaver now has two fine silos and is prepared to take care of his dairy herd during the dry summer season as well as in winter. E. B. is one of our most successful farmers.

D. R. Lehman and family circulated among friends in Salem Saturday and while there called upon Joseph Wallace, a former Lisbon resident who was operated on last winter, having a cancer removed. Soon after returning home he fell and broke his left shoulder and after recovering from that he suffered a stroke of paralysis, leaving his right arm disabled. Joe at one time was one of our strongest and hardest men but he has gone through so much suffering it has weakened his memory. This again proves that our troubles do not come singly.

S. G. McClun and family spent Sunday evening at Alvin Detrow's.

Ed. Weaver and family, Ruby Yoder and family called on the nights at Shelton's grove, Sunday.

The Island correspondent of the Columbiana Ledger gets his views somewhat exaggerated or his state of mind is not what it should be. Good, honest news tenders are clean and hard to read. But when it comes to manufacturing items to fill space please omit my name as I would regard it a greater honor than to be misquoted.

## TOOT'S CORNERS

July 29—Those from here who attended the Grange picnic at the Canfield fair grounds Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dessel, L. H. Good and family, G. L. Frederick and family, Oliver Russell, Francis McQuinn, Esther and Helen Gregg and Ina Esterly.

Mrs. Warren Bowman of Texas and Mrs. S. A. Durr were in Salem Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Esterly and daughter Linda and grandson Orville spent Sunday evening at J. J. Hendricks'.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Moore and son Ralph attended camp meeting at Camp Park, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Esterly and daughter Evelyn were Sunday at N. L. Rothgeb's in New Egypt.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knauf were in Salem Monday.

Mrs. S. A. Durr, Mrs. Mary Durr, Mrs. Joshua Bowman and Mrs. Warren Bowman attended church at Concord Sunday and spent the afternoon at Morrison Justice's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Frederick spent Sunday evening at S. A. Durr's.

Miss Mabel Goodman is assisting Mrs. Noah Kenrich this week.

Mr. Albert Goodman and Miss Hazel Knauf of Calla spent Wednesday at Hugh Knauf's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Flick of Canfield.

Mrs. Chas. Baird and Mrs. G. S. Greasel and son Marion of Cleveland spent Thursday at Hugh Knauf's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knauf spent Sunday at Chas. Baird's.

## ELLSWORTH

July 29—Hugh Bowman has purchased an automobile.

Mrs. W. H. Allen and Mrs. S. B. Brooke are visiting friends in Toledo.

J. C. Buntz was in Youngstown Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Calvin, who were married last Thursday evening, were favored with a "shower" at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Saturday evening. They received many presents and a very enjoyable time was had by all present.

Chas. Wilson of Berlin Center spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Brown entertained friends from Youngstown Saturday. Miss Ethel Fitch returned to Cincinnati Monday after spending her vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sehon Ripley spent Saturday and Sunday in Niles with Mrs. Ripley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hoyle.

Misses Nora and Hulda Gordon were home from Kent Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Rose has returned home after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bustman of Patmos.

Miss Alma Clay has returned to Youngstown after a short visit here with her parents.

The Dispatch Job Printing Pleases.

## CORNERSBURG

July 29—The funeral of Alfred Bentley, who died at his residence on the Boardman road last Tuesday, was held Thursday morning from the Free Methodist church at Sharpville, Pa., with interment in the Barley cemetery near there. Mr. Bentley was a former south side resident. He is survived by his widow and three sons, Clyde, Glenn and Joshua.

J. S. Ruth, wife and daughter Helen, Mrs. Almira Twiss and Miss Ann Sonnedecker of the city and Miss Ruth Seabrooks of Beaver Falls were guests in the home of G. W. Strook last Wednesday.

P. B. Riblet, wife and daughter Nettie, Frank Millikin and wife and son Gist and Harry Raymond and wife attended a party at the home of James Thornton of Haselton last Wednesday evening.

Vernon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wehr, fell from a ladder on which he was standing and broke his left arm between the elbow and wrist.

Ladies of Chapter Four, Home for Aged Women, were guests today of Mrs. W. S. Anderson at her girlhood home, the old Shields homestead on the Price road.

P. B. Riblet and Louis Wellendorf are among the first to have their wheat threshing done.

Mrs. G. W. Strook and Miss R. T. Osborne spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lois Osborne of Boardman.

G. W. Ryder, wife and son William were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Guy Clapper.

W. K. Osborn of the south side was superintending the unloading of hay in his barn when he accidentally fell through a hole in the floor, receiving injuries which confined him to his bed.

Quite a number of members of the M. E. Church attended the open air meeting at the Posterville Mission church Sunday evening. Mrs. Rae Muirhead conducted the services.

G. W. Ryder, wife and sons Fred and William and Miss Helen Thompson and a sister, Tuesday morning saw a sight seeing trip to Cambridge Springs, Jamestown, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto and other points of interest. They will make the trip in an automobile. They expect to be gone several days.

Several Cornersburg grangers attended the picnic at the Canfield fair grounds Saturday.

Ferd Painter is delivering hay in Youngstown for S. M. Burkholder.

Chas. Hull and Mr. Williams, with their families, visited at E. N. Sauerwein's Sunday.

M. M. Forney has delivered to the Youngstown market 112 baskets of beans. No high cost of living when it comes to beans. Prices are low.

Gladys and Ansel Sauerwein, Mary and John Burkholder and Elwood Forney attended choir practice at the Grove church Tuesday evening, preparing for the S. convention which will be held Sunday afternoon and evening, Aug. 2.

Twenty-two neighbors and friends were entertained at the home of E. E. Forney Saturday night. They were treated to ice cream and other refreshments.

A surprise party given Wm. Feicht Wednesday evening was largely attended and much enjoyed.

Mrs. Abraham Metzler of West Liberty is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jacob Culp.

Walker Brothers of Struthers are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Reuter, here this month.

Samuel Harmon is sawing a lot of wood for E. E. Forney with his gasoline sawing outfit.

## KNAUFVILLE

July 29—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knauf and daughter Nellie, Herbert Knauf and family, Elmer Hively and family, Mrs. Jacob Toot and Miss Ethel Knauf enjoyed an auto ride Sunday to Mr. Knauf's brother, Isaac, who lives in Geauga county.

Arthur Knauf and children, Dorothy, Bertha and Willard, spent a few days with relatives near Greenville, Pa. They made the trip by auto.

Miss